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MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

RESOLUTION

(TARIFFS)

New Delhi, the 27th October 1952.

No. 3-T(2)/52.—The Tariff Commission was requested to conduct the necessary enquiries in regard to the cost of production of raw rubber and to submit to Government its recommendations as to the price to be fixed. The Commission has made the following recommendations:

- (i) The price for Group I rubber for 1952-53 works out to Rs. 138/- as against the existing price of Rs. 128/- per 100 lbs., with suitable differentials for the other grades.
 - (ii) With a view to give the necessary incentive to the rubber producers to take up their development schemes, the prices for different grades should be fixed for a period of three years. However, the Indian Rubber Board should keep a continuous watch on the cost of production of the rubber plantation industry and, should circumstances arise warranting a variation in the cost of production by 10 per cent or more on either side, the Board should take up the matter with Government for securing necessary action for the revision of prices.
 - (iii) With a view to improving the yield of rubber, the Indian Council of Agricultural Research is of the opinion that a small laboratory and staff to investigate local problems should be sufficient to start with. The Council has also made certain suggestions with regard to the staff required for carrying out the necessary research work. Government should take steps to implement this revised scheme for the development of the rubber plantation industry.
2. The Government of India accept recommendations (i) and (ii). A notification is being issued giving effect to the revised prices.
3. Recommendation (iii) is under consideration.

ORDER

(RUBBER CONTROL)

New Delhi, the 27th October 1952.

No. 30(5)-Plt/52.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 13 of the Rubber (Production and Marketing) Act, 1947 (XXIV of 1947), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry No. S.R.O. 759, dated the 21st May 1951, the Central Government, after consulting the Rubber Price Advisory Committee, hereby fixes with effect from the 28th October 1952, for all classes of business the following

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maximum and minimum prices for the various grades and qualities of rubber mentioned below.—

Grade and quality of rubber	F. O. B. COCHIN for 100 lbs.	
	Maximum Price #	Minimum Price
	Rs. As. Ps.	Rs. As. Ps.
Group 1. { R. M. A. 1X	138 0 0	137 0 0
. { R. M. A. 1	138 0 0	137 0 0
Group 2. { R. M. A. 2	136 8 0	135 8 0
. { R. M. A. 3	135 0 0	134 0 0
. { Cuttings No. 1	127 8 0	126 8 0
Group 3. { R. M. A. 4	131 8 0	130 8 0
. { R. M. A. 5	127 8 0	126 8 0
. { Cuttings No. 2	121 8 0	120 8 0
Group 4. { Precoag ated Crepe.	143 8 0	142 8 0
. { Pale " " e 1X	141 8 0	140 8 0
. { Pale latex Crepe 1	139 8 0	138 8 0
. { Pale latex Crepe 2	138 8 0	137 8 0
. { Pale Latex Crepe 3 F. A. Q.	137 8 0	136 8 0
Group 5. { Estate Brown Crepe 1X	129 8 0	128 8 0
. { Estate Brown Crepe 2X	126 8 0	125 8 0
. { Smoked Blanket	129 8 0	128 8 0
. { Remilled Crepe 2	122 0 0	121 0 0
Group 6. { Estate Brown Crepe 3X	118 8 0	117 8 0
. { Remilled Crepe 3	116 8 0	115 8 9
. { Remilled Crepe 4	111 0 0	110 0 0
Group 7. Flat Bark	102 8 0	101 8 0
35% Normal Latex (excluding cost of container)	139 0 0	138 0 0
	Plus a premium of Rs. 17-8-0 per 100 lbs. of DRC	Plus a premium of Rs. 17-8-0 per 100 lbs. of DRC.
50 to 55 % concentrated preserved latex (excluding cost of container)	139 0 0	138 0 0
	Plus a premium of Rs. 43-0-0 per 100 lbs. of DRC.	Plus a premium of Rs. 43-0-0 per 100 lbs. of DRC.

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